



**APAHE 2022 Preconference  
MOVEMENT API  
Wednesday, April 6, 2022, The Westin Long Beach  
Register @ [http://apahenational.org/?page\\_id=5787](http://apahenational.org/?page_id=5787)**

*Light snacks provided; lunch on your own*

**Preconference Sessions are scheduled in two time blocks of 3 hours each:**

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Pre-conference registration is for the entire day.

Participants may select session option A for the entire day, two sessions (one in a.m. and one in p.m.), or just one session (either a.m. or p.m.)

Flat Rate Preconference Fee (regardless of number of sessions selected) = \$125

**Morning Session: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**

- **Movement AANAPISI: Building Capacity and Sustainability:**  
Dr. Patricia Neilson, Facilitator

*This session is for individuals who are working in, involved with, or preparing for AANAPISI grant-based programs. Program coordinators will recognize new grantees, messages from Noel Harmon, President & CEO of APIA Scholars, Federal Updates presentation by Pearson Owen, Senior Program Officer, U.S. Department of Education, presentation of AANAPISI Research. Regional breakout groups will meet.*

- **New to Higher Ed; New to APAHE**  
Erick Aragon, Counselor/Instructor, Outreach & Relations with Schools, De Anza College  
Dr. Ailene Cua Crakes, Dean of Student Development, San Diego Mesa College  
Takeo Kubo, Director of Financial Aid, San Jose City College

*This session is designed for individuals who are new to their positions in higher education and/or are new to attending APAHE. Overview of APAHE will be covered. Smaller group discussions will focus on transition issues and strategies for those moving into new positions.*

- **Student Session**  
Tutasi Asuega, Program Specialist II, Mt. San Antonio College, co-facilitator  
Kare'I Lokeni, Counselor, Long Beach City College, co-facilitator

*This session is for students who are attending the APAHE Conference. A history and overview of APAHE, community and political organizing will be covered. Participants will have an opportunity to meet others, review critical issues impacting APIDA students on college campuses. Interactive small group activities will be conducted.*

## **LUNCH BREAK 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. – lunch on your own**

### **Afternoon Session: 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

- **Movement AANAPISI: Building Capacity and Sustainability (continued):**  
Dr. Patricia Neilson, facilitator

*This session is a continuation of the morning session designed for those specifically involved with AANAPISI programs. Best Practices will be shared and discussion of next steps.*

- **Professional Development Training: The Great Resignation or The Great Re-evaluation?**

Dr. Joan Torne, Associate Vice Chancellor and Chief of Staff, Human Resources, California State University, Office of the Chancellor  
Wyman Fong, Vice Chancellor of Human Resources, Chabot-Las Positas Community College District  
Dr. Emma Gordon; Senior Director, R&DE Talent & Organizational Development, Stanford University  
Cheng Yu Hou, Vice Chancellor of Human Resources, Rancho Santiago Community College District

*This session will address issues such as: knowing when it's time to leave; preparing for your next move; what to look for when evaluating or searching for a new career path; understanding the importance of mentors and enhancing your networks, and the why it is important to know your values and passion to find fulfilling careers rather than the next job/position.*

### **Lunch and Afternoon Cultural Tour 12:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

*Cultural visitations to APIDA locations in/around greater Long Beach Area to include museum visitation, lunch and stops at shopping areas*

- Pacific Island Ethnic Art Museum, Long Beach
- Japanese Cultural and Community Center, Long Beach
- Filipino Town, Long Beach
- Samoan community, Carson
- Little India, Norwalk/Cerritos
- Little Saigon, Westminster
- Cambodia Town, Long Beach